President's Brother Denies Role in Marriott-Greek Deal

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NEWPORT BEACH, Calif., May 10 (UPI)—F. Donald Nixon denied today that the Marriott Corporation got a $10-million loan from the Greek Government because he was President Nixon's brother.

The younger Nixon, who is vice president for industry and community relations for Marriott, denied any knowledge of, and any responsibility for, the loan—"if there was one."

Although he has made two recent trips to Greece he said they "had nothing to do with any loans." He did not say why he was there, however.

The Athens newspaper Tovima said the loan was granted for remodeling the Aegean cruise ship Stella Solaris, jointly owned by Sun Lines and Marriott.